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TAGS: CASC (EGELSTON, DR. CHARLES RUSSELL)

SUBJ: W/W DR. CHARLES RUSSELL EGELSTON

REF: STATE 234686

EMBASSY SENT DIRECT-RELAY TELEGRAM TO FATHER OF DR. CHARLES RUSSELL EGELSTON BECAUSE (1) HE IS OLD AND SICK, AND (2) A SEPTEMBER 11 TELEGRAM SENT ON HIS BEHALF, ACCORDING TO A SUBSEQUENT LETTER, WAS NEVER RECEIVED AT EMBASSY, THEREFORE HE HAD BEEN WAITING APPROXIMATELY SINCE THAT DATE FOR OUR REPLY. THE INFORMATION CONVEYED TO HIM WAS A CONFIRMATION OF THE ADDITION TO THE PHONE NUMBER AND EXTENSION HE ALREADY PASSED ON. IN VIEW OF THE FACT THAT WE CONFIRMED TO DR. EGELSTON'S FATHER THAT THE ADDRESS AND PHONE NUMBER HE ALREADY HAD WERE CORRECT WE BELIEVED THAT THIS WAS NOT A VIOLATION OF DR. EGELSTON'S RIGHTS UNDER THE PRIVACY ACT, ANYMORE THAN IF WE HAD SIMPLY SAID TO THE SENIOR EGELSTON THAT WE HAD CONTACTED HIS SON-AN IMPLICIT CONFIRMATION IN AND OF ITSELF. ONLY INFORMATION IN TELEGRAM IN ADDITION TO THE CONFIRMATION OF ADDRESS WAS FIANL SENTENCE SAYING THAT DR. EGELSTON HAD BEEN REQUESTED TO CONTACT HIS FATHER. IF OUR INTERPRETATIONS ARE ERRONEOUS IT MAY IN PART BE DUE TO FACT THAT STATE A4872 OF JULY 17, 1975 IS NOT IN OUR FILES. WE WOULD THEREFORE APPRECIATE A COPY. BURKE

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